AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Academy-"Are You a Buffalo?" Bijou-La Beile Tortajada, burlesque and vaudeville. Chase's-Wilfred Clarke and polite vaude-

Columbia-"King Dodo." Kernan's-Scribner's "Gay Morning Glories."

"Quo Vadis. National-E. S. Willard in "The Cardi-W. L. I. Armory Hall-Pure food show. Congregational Church-Song recital by

Lafayette-Bellows Stock Company in

David Bispham.

EXCURSIONS TOMORROW. Steamer Washington for Fortress Monroe

and Norfolk at 6:30 p.m Steamer Estelle Randall for Glymont and river landings at 9:30 a. m. Trains leave Pennsylvania avenue and 131/2 street for Alexandria and Arlington every

half hour. Mt. Vernon, hourly, 10 a.m. to Cars leave Aqueduct bridge for Arlington and Fort Myer every half hour. Falls Church hourly. See schedule.

AUCTION SALES OF REAL ESTATE, &c.

Tomerrow.

C. G. Sloan & Co., Auets., 1407 G st. n.w .-Catalogue sale of antique furniture, &c., on January 30 and 31, at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., at auction rooms. Marcus Notes, auct., 637 La. ave. n

Sale of furniture, &c., on Thursday, January 30, at 10 a.m., at auction rooms. S. Bensinger, auct., 940 La. ave. n. w. Sale of horses, carriages, harness, &c., on Thursday, Jan. 30, at 10 a. m., at auction

YOU CAN'T BE TOO DISCRIMINATE When buying bread. More of this staple is consumed than any other; hence the necessity of getting the best. Schneider's "Malt' Bread is the finest made. Only 5c.

A STRENGTH-BUILDING BEVERAGE. If your system is run down-if you need semething to renew strength and vigor, try "Old Glory." It's a splendid tonic. Pure and rich. Abner-Drury Brewing Co. The name of the colored man who called

at the Emergency Hospital for treatment yesterday morning and dropped dead was George Jones, and he lived at 1700 B street northwest. His body was identified at the morgue last night. FINEST MEATS OBTAINABLE IN THE CITY ARE THOS. T. KEANE'S

-famous Washington-dressed Beef and Southdown Spring Lamb. Always fresh, choice and tender. Very reasonable prices. 84-51 Center Market and 9 Wholesale Row. DON'T PAY SO MUCH FOR BUTTER. We're selling our best Elgin Creamery, only 28c. lb. Other dealers are asking from

Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.'s 10 City Stores. DRINK KENNY'S 25c. COFFEE. The best coffee on earth for the money. C. D. Kenny Co. 50 stores.

3 to 5c, more for the same quality.

Ladies! 'Royal' Glues Anything. Kanns 10c. Jennie Carpenter, colored, thirty-five years old, stepped from a moving car near 10th and U streets northwest about 8 o'clock last night and fell to the pavement. She was painfully hurt about the face and body, and was assisted to her home, No. 1918 10th street northwest, by friends.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Suits Dyed, Blankets and Lace Curtains Cleaned. Anton Fischer's, 906 G st. n.w.

'LILAC BLOOMING NOW.' Just the prettiest thing in the flower world for debutantes and dainty teas. All other flowers fresh and fine at J. R. Freeman's, 612 13th street northwest.

GAS HEATERS, OIL STOVES 1204 G st. C. A. Muddiman & Co. 616 12th.

CITY AND DISTRICT.

Church Improvements Ordered. The fourth quarterly conference of the official members of the Anacostia Methodist Episcopal Church took place last evening in the church. Rev. Dr. Naylor of Washington presided and the attendance was large. Regular business was disposed of and the special matter of the completion of the auditorium of the church was called up. It was unanimously decided to proceed with the improvements contemplated, which will cost about \$4,000, and the trustees were authorized to raise the funds necessary for the finishing of the work. The building committee that is to have charge of the matter was announced, as follows: Rev. C. O. Isaac, chairman; Messrs. C. F. Walson, James H. Dony, J. W. Barse, C. F. Linger, Arthur B. Suit and George W. King, jr. The conference requested that Rev. C. O. Isaac be returned to the church as pastor for the sixth term, and passed a like resolution. sixth term, and passed a like resolution regarding Rev. Dr. Naylor for the position of the presiding elder of the district.

Those Who Do Not Keep Carriages Can hire fine turnouts whenever desired, reasonably, at Downey's Stables, 1622-28 L st.

All Baba Club Meeting. Artists and Bohemians made merry last

night at the Ali Baba Club, 1420 New York avenue northwest. The rooms were artistically decorated for the occasion. On the walls were displayed many creations in paint and oil, the work of the members. Among the more noteworthy paintings on exhibition were W. T. Norton's landscapes in oil, Miss Schoenborn's landscapes, Miss McKee's water colors, Miss Lowenstein's Charles Long. sketches in black and white, Mr. Feree's water colors, Mr. Davis' portraits, Miss Weide's water colors, Miss Porter's water colors, Miss Clemens' studies of heads, and Miss Clynda Ford's studies on china. The officers of the Ali Baba Club are: Mr. W. T. Norton, president; Miss Nellie Werde, vice president; Miss M. P. McKee, secretary; Mr. Fred Albert, treasurer, and Mr. Fora-

ker, librarian. Every one present at last night's entertainment voted the "at home" of the Ali Babas a complete success.

For Exceptionally Fine Quality The Clarets and Burgundies of J. Calvet &

Co. enjoy a world-wide reputation.-Advt. Wills Filed for Probate. By the terms of the bill of George T. Budd, dated August 13, 1895, and which

has been filed for probate, his estate is left to his daughter, Carrie E. Budd, in trust for the benefit of herself and the other children of the testator, Maud, Arthur, children of the testator, Maud, Arthur, dress before the congregation of Campbell Ernest, George, Helen and Graham Budd.

A. M. E. Church, Nichols avenue, last Each child is to receive a proportionate evening, his subject being "The Holy share of the estate upon attaining majority. The will of Katherine Linder, dated April 2, 1898, has also been filed for probate. Bequests as follows are made: To her daughter, Rosina Linder, premises 1232 11th street southeast; to her daughter, Elizabeth Lindner, premises 1234 11th street southeast; to her son, John C. Boston, premises 1236 11th street southeast. The remainder of the estate is left to Rosina Lindner, who is named executrix.

If you want the leading brandy, be sure to ask for Otard's .- Advt.

Young People's Meeting.

The young people of the First Baptist Church held a meeting last evening, the first of a series to be held under the auspices of the society. The meeting was addressed by Mr. Geo. C. Maynard of the National Museum on "Marconi's Late Experiments in Wireless Telegraphy." plane sole by Miss Alwood and a tener sole, "My Dreams," by Mr. Frank Shipe, completed the program. The young people have recently reorgan-ized along new lines. Meetings have been

planned for Tuesday of each week during the winter and spring. Changes on Southern Railway.

It is announced that, effective February 1, F. K. Huger is appointed superintendent of the Charleston division of the Southern railway, vice A. Gordon Jones, appointed superintendent of the Washington division, with office at Charlottesville, Va.

FUNERAL SERVICES FRIDAY

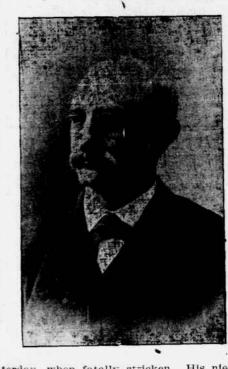
LAST RITES OVER THE REMAINS OF DR. PETER.

Was a Surgeon in the Union Army During the Civil War-

His Career.

The funeral of Dr. Armistead Peter, who died suddenly yesterday afternoon at his residence, southeast corner of 31st and O streets, will be held Friday afternoon from his late residence. Religious exercises will be held at 2 o'clock at the chapel in Oak Hill cemtery. Rev. Alfred Harding, D.D., rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 23d street below Washington circle, will conduct the services. The interment will be private. The pallbearers, who will be intimate friends of the deceased physician, have been named, but the list cannot be made public until all have signified their ability to be present.

Dr. Peter had just returned from his morning round of duty among his patients and was seated in his office, as stated yes-



terday, when fatally stricken. His niece, Mrs. William L. Dunlop, on her way down town, had stopped to see him, and was with him when he received the shock. The dying physician endeavored to give himself a hypodermic injection to relieve the pain. but was unsuccessful. Dr. Louis Mackail, sr., who lives one block away, was imme diately summoned, and gave the injection which Dr. Peter had endeavored to admin-Great ister. Dr. Louis Mackall, jr., also arrived in a brief space of time, but could not restore animation. According to the certificate death was due to angina pectoris.

The news of the sudden death caused genuine regret, Dr. Peter having been a favorite with a large number of people, poor and rich alike. Had he lived until February 23 he would have been sixty-two vears of age, having been born at the famly home in Montgomery county in 1840. He studied medicine and graduated in 1862 from Columbian University, this city, and immediately began practicing the profes-During the war he was a surgeon in the federal army, serving at one time in the temporary hospital in the old Seminary building on 30th street, and also in the of thrills. nospital which was located in the Dumbar on Avenue M. E. Church, serving until the closed of the war. April 23, 1867, he married Miss Martha

Custis Kennon, the daughter of Mrs. Beverly Kennon. His wife died suddenly about ten years ago, leaving five children-four sons and one daughter-all of whom are

Besides being a member of the Medical Association of the District and the District ciations he held several important offices, but of late years he but seldom attended the meetings.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR DRILL.

Washington Commandery to Particinate in New York Event.

Columbia Commandery, No. 2, Knights Templar. Eminent Commander John J. Harrower commanding, will leave here tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock on a special train over the Baltimore and Potomac railroad for New York, where the members will be the guests of Palestine Commandery, No. 18, of New York city for a brief period. The Washington knights will be quartered at the Murray Hill Hotel.

Thursday evening, January 30, Palestine Commandery will holds its twenty-fourth annual reception, which will take place at the Metropolitan Opera House. In keeping with its usual custom of having an exhibition drill by Templars, Palestine honored Columbia by requesting that the drill corps of the commandery give a fancy drill, as well as the regulation drill. The corps has been drilling faithfully under the direction of Capt. Charles Domer and Lieut. Benja-min Parkhurst. The drill team will be se-

lected from among the following: Captain Charles S. Domer, First Lieut. Benjamin Parkhurst, Second Lieut. Thomas Walker, H. A. Easterday, Charles Sonne, William Vonderheide, Fred. Sellers, Charles B. Matthews, Edgar A. Nelson, Jackson F. Blair, Arthur Hess, William H. Smith, Lee O'Brien, William Gentner, Charles Bloomer, Charles A. Vincessi Leads, Parks Gus A. Kneessi, Louis Behrens, T. Coates, John J. Costinet, James C. J. Coates, John J. Costinet, James C. John-son, Clayton Simms, William D. Leissler, A. P. Meyers, Alex. Grant, Lincoin Bom-berger, James Grav Thad. B. Sargeant, Salvadore Desio, Seaton W. Trunnelle and Charles Leres

The Sale of Antiques at Sloan's. The sale of the collection of antiques at Sloan's, 1407 G street, was largely attended today, notwithstanding the storm, though the prices were low and buyers reaped great bargains. Sale again tomorrow, Friday, etc., at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.-Advt.

Anacostia and Vicinity.

John Tabbs, colored, thirty years old, living on Stevens avenue, Hillsdale, while working on the steam railroad on the grounds of St. Elizabeth's Asylum for the Insane was caught between two cars yesterday and was injured. He was able to go to Hillsdale, where he received medical treatment, after which he went to his home. Extensive improvements are under way

at premises No. 220 Monroe street, owned city parties, preparatory to being Rev. Dr. D. P. Seaton delivered an ad-

Northeast Branch Office.

For the benefit of residents in the northeast The Star has a branch office at Griffith's drug store, corner of 7th and H past The Star has a branch office streets northeast, where classified adver-tisements of any kind may be filed at regular rates. Wanted Help and Wanted Sit-uations cost one cent a word.

Funeral of Norfolk Payne.

The body of Norfolk Payne, the young employe of the Anacostia freight yards who met his death as the result of being crushed between two cars there a few days since, was removed today to the home of his mother, Mrs. Daniel Webster, near Twining City. His funeral will occur tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal Church at Anacostia. Rev. W. G. Davenport will of-Anacostia. Rev. W. G. Davenport will officiate and the interment will take place at St. Barnaby, Md. The young man had accepted a position at the freight yards but a few days before he was hurt. His father, Edward Payne, was killed in a runaway accident on Nichols avenue about seven

Alleged Insanitary Plumbing. The attention of the District Commission-

ers has been called by the plumbing office to the insanitary condition of some of the plumbing in the house at 1411 H street northwest, occupied by the Spanish claims com.w*sion. The Commissioners will prob-ably notify the owners of the house to remedy the defects at once.

AMUSEMENTS.

WARFIELD IN "THE AUCTIONEER." ular line he has achieved a triumph. It is a fair inference, judging from his other achievements in the same line, that David Belasco is perhaps the one, above all the others concerned in the play, who deserves great credit for the success of the play to which Mr. Warfield's stellar destinies have been intrusted. During the week matinees are to be given on Thursday and Saturday.

"ALICE OF OLD VINCENNES."-"Alice of Old Vincennes," which will be presented at the New National Theater for the week beginning next Monday night with Virginia Harned starred in the title role, is Manager Charles Frohman's big scenic produc-tion for the season 1901-02. Mr. Frohman now makes it a point to present at least one immense and beautiful production each season, laying his lines after the style of such big productions as "The Sporting Duchess," "Hearts are Trumps," "Under Two Flags," &c. All of these were tremendous successes, but in point of beauty and originality in pictorial accessories he has never placed anything on the stage that equals the setting of "Alice of Old Vincences." From all accounts there is little danger of over praise in this respect. The effects are in every respect peculiarly novel and striking, this being especially true of the marvelous rainbow scene, the iridescent snowstorm and the tremendous battle tableau, the last showing the capture of the Vincennes fort by the American forces. Thompson's delightful book has been widely read, especially in this and other vicinities where so many descendants of the famous General George Rogers Clark make their homes. E. C. Rose made the dramatization. The sale of seats opens Thursday "THE GREAT UNKNOWN."-After one

of the most ambitious productions ever undertaken by a stock company, the Bellows organization will revert to pure comedy at the Lafayette next week, and produce the late Augustin Daly's great suc-cess, "The Great Unknown." Like most of the actor-author's great successes, "The Great Unknown" was adapted to the American stage by Mr. Daly from the German. It was conspicuous among the long line of comedy successes which made Daly's Theater famous. The amusement loving public, in America, is too well versed as to the success which has attended all of the Daly adaptations from the German. Without a single exception each scored a long run in New York. There will be the usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees, and on Monday night and at the Saturday matinee of next week a large autographed por-trait of Miss Katherine Field will be presented to each lady attending these per-

POLITE VAUDEVILLE. - Laughter should freely punctuate the polite vaudeville bill at Chase's next week, judging from the names of Tom Nawn and company, the three Meers, Carroll Johnson, Hilda Thomas and Lou Hall, the De Haven trio, Maud McIntyre and the three Keatons, with Keith's new sensational cycle whirl as an added attraction.

Tom Nawn is considered the best portraver of Irish characters. In his new mythical comedy, "Pat and the Genii," he is a fresh field of fun, and then, too, there are his roller skates. The three Meers are strangers here, but will be welcome after their astounding high wire act has been fully grasped. A long wire is stretched and held firmly between the teeth of two of the aerialists and then May Meers rides a wheel along it. Carroll Johnson is styled the "Beau Brummel of minstrelsy," and he is never less than pleasing. The cycle whirl returns with four riders, a ninety-degree incline of track and a new assortment

"A GAMBLER'S DAUGHTER."-At the Academy of Music next week, commencing Monday night, February 3, the sensational melodrama "A Gambler's Daughter" will be seen. The play tells a very charm-ing love story, but before the lovers are united they pass through many exciting experiences and have to foil a number of conspiracies against them, as the heroine (the gambler's daughter) is rich in her own Medical Society, Dr. Peter belonged to the Masonic fraternity. In the medical asso-father wishes to secure her for himself. This unscrupulous person has a powerful hold upon her father, owing to knowledge of the latter's life which he posseses, and he is able to compel the father himself to enter into the conspiracy against his daughter's happiness and even her life, as, in the last act, an attempt is made to murder her in an old warehouse by the river. The cast of characters has been selected from among the best known and most popular actors and actresses, the company being headed by Miss Elsie Crescy, who is a decided favorite with the public and very talented. Some clever songs and specialties are introduced in the play.

BIJOU OLIO AND BURLESQUE.—The program arranged by Manager Schlesinger for the entertainment of the Bijou's patrons is as diversified as the most exacting could demand, while as to the quality of the different acts there can be no question. John Kernell, the eminent Celtic will give some new stories in his own inimitable manner and sing several parodles of his own composition. Calta will introduce novel animal act that is just from the principal music halls of England and the continent, and which will doubtless prove one of the best things of its kind that has ever been seen on a Washington stage. Harding and Ah Sid have long been noted on the vaudeville circuits as entertainers par excellence, and their act is said to fairly teem with laughs. Nellie Burt is a vivacious little woman who sings with the aid of a band of diminutive colored youths, commonly termed pickaninnies. Miss Burt will have a new lot of songs for her ap pearance at the Bijou, and is expected to score a hit of immense proportions. The olio will be brought to a close by Mlle. Olive in an act of considerable novelty already large and clever burlesque stock company is to be further augmented by the addition of a half dozen young women who are said to be possessed of much physical attractiveness and who are able to sing well and dance with abandon and grace. The special ladles' matinee next Friday will be an admirable chance for the women folk of Washington to see the beautiful Tortajada. Souvenirs will be

FULTON'S "JOLLY GRASS WIDOWS." -Commencing Monday matinee, February 3, and for the week, the attraction at Ker-"Joly Grass Widows." The opening part, "One Night and Gone," is a travesty of life in the Turkish empire in three scenes. Mile. Dika and Carrie Fulton play the principal roles and are ably assisted by principal roles and are any assisting twenty handsome young ladies and eight clever comedians. This plece serves the purpose of putting the audience in a happy from of mind and preparing it for what is frame of mind and preparing it for what is to follow in the vaudeville line. This portion of the entertainment includes Paulo and Dika, French duettists; Matthews and Campbell, in their travesty on Virginius; Montague and West, refined musical artists; Harvey and Moore, the Hebrew and the sport; Wangdoodle Four, presenting the darkey dancing master; Falardo, instrumental man; "On Duty," a grand spectacular review in three yeares is presented durant lar review in three scenes, is presented during the vaudeville portion of the bill. This is interpreted by the entire company of thirty-nine people, and illustrates three distinct types of our every-day heroes, policemen, engineers and men-of-war. "Are ing the vaudeville portion of the bill. This licemen, engineers and men-of-war. "Are You an Eagle?" a farce comedy, brings the performance to a close.

"ELKS' OLD COUNTRY STORE."-The Elks, not to be outdone, have entered into amiable competition with the Bostock and Ferari's numerous attractions that will Elks' mid-winter carnival at Convention Hall, February 3 to 15. The Elks' attrac-tion will be an "Old Country Store," presided over by members of the Washington Lodge. This location in the hall will be the trysting place and rendezvous of the Elks and their visiting friends. If you have never seen a store of this kind we think that in paying it a visit it would interest you very much, as from present accounts it will be a fac simile reproduction and a decided novelty. In this store in cramped quarters will be every old thing from a pin to cheese and slik. All you have to do is to ask for what you want.

SOUSA'S BAND.—A man of action assuredly is John Philip Sousa. During the last year he gave ferty-eight weeks of concerts with his famous band, visiting 250 different cities in America and Great Britain, traveling 40,000 miles, while now, after a brief rest, he is already embarked upon another of his remarkable tours in this country. Sousa is the first American composer and conductor to secure recognition in foreign lands, and it is no exaggeration to state that his popularity at home and

Britain and his recognition and decoration by England's monarch has set the seal of WARFIELD IN "THE AUCTIONEER."

David Belasco brings Warfield to the Columbia Monday night as Simon Levy, in "The Auctioneer." Warfield's characterization of the East Side New York Hebrew probably deserves the many good things that have been said of him. In his particular line he has achieved a triumph. It is and of his band to learn that his famous organization will be heard here in concert at the Columbia next Sunday evening, and the seats go omesale in the morning. Mr.

Sousa will present three soloists, already known at his concerts, Maude Reese-Davies, soprano; Miss Borothy Hoyle, who returns after two years study with Sauret, and Arthur Pryor, "the Paganini of the trom-THE BURTON HOLMES LECTURES .-Burton Holmes, the eminent lecturer on travel, is now in his ninth season, which in every way promises to be the most suc-cessful of his career. Although a young man he has attained a prominence as a lecturer seldom reached by any one other than his famous predecessor, Mr. John L. Stoddard The friendship which existed

between these two gentlemen, formed at Oberammergau in 1899, and ripened by fre-quent meetings in distant parts of the world and at home in succeeding years, proved of the utmost advantage to the younger lecturer, for on the retirement of Mr. Stoddard, some five years ago, he practically nominated Mr. Holmes as his egitimate successor. Although Mr. Holmes at that time had created for himself an enviable position as a platform speaker, still, he had never been heard to any great extent in the larger cities of the east, but upon his learning of Mr. Stoddard's retirement the latter gentleman and his mana-gers gave Mr. Holmes every possible assist-ance. At the Columbia five Tuesday afterncens, beginning February 18. Subjects, "St. Petersburg," "Moscow," "Siberia," "Pekin," "Seoul, the Capital of Corea."

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES .-Washington Aerie, No. 125, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will give its first annual benefit for the charity fund at the New National Theater Sunday evening, February 2. The program includes Alice J. Shaw and twin daughters, whistlers; Emma Carus, the female baritone; James Richmond Glenroy, the man with the green gloves; Montague and West, refined musical artists; John T. Sullivan, Lafayette Stock Company; Katie Sullivan, Latayette Stock Company, Rate, V. Wilson, operatic singer; John P. Rogers, basso solo'st; H. S. Whitney; Susie Rocamora, soprano; W. A. Morsell, in his inimitable interpretation of coon melodies; Geo. W. Harvell, in an original marionette novelty; Brother Matt J. Kennedy, comic songs and sayings: Anita Cluss. America's favorite harpist; Prof. Holmes, Madrid Trio Mr. Yount and Mr. Holt and a church choir quartet, composed of the favorite vo-calists, Mrs. Margaret Nolan Martin, Mrs. Blanche Mattingly Rogers, Chas. E. Myers and Jas. J. Nolan.

Dr. Gates Delivers Lecture. Dr. Merrill E. Gates, secretary of the

United States board of Indian commissioners, and who was formerly president of Rutgers and Amherst colleges, delivered his lecture upon the theme "A Young Man's Fortune the Power of Will" before an appreciative audience at the People's Congregational Church, M street between 6th and 7th streets northwest, last evening. Dr. Gates said that true fortune did not consist in having riches thrust upon one. Fortune thus acquired often passed away rapidly. He thought Gen. S. C. Armstrong was right when he said in an address to the students at the Hampton Normal and Industrial School that young colored men ought to thank God for the advantage of their disadvantages, for the very opposition which they encounter will develop in them the potential energy to accomplish results by the help of resistance.

Seated upon the platform besides Rev. T. M. Nixon, pastor of the church, and Dr. Gates were Rev. Dr. S. M. Newman, pastor of the First Congregational Church Rev. A. C. Garner, pastor of the Plymouth Congregational Church, and Rev. D. E. Wiseman, pastor of the Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer.

Among others in attendance were Rev. Dr. F. J. Grimke, pastor of the Fifteenth Street Presbyterian Church; Prof. F. W. Fairchild of Howard University and R. S. Smith of the Lord bar. Smith of the local bar.

Lunacy Proceedings

Petitions were filed in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia yesterday by the District Commissioners, through Attorney A. Leftwich Sinclair, relating to the sanity of the following: Richard Offut. Mary McDenough, Julia Young, Alice Scott, Minnie Lewis, Maggie Preytor and Georgie Douglass.

It is alleged that all of the parties mentioned are of unsound mind and are not proper subjects to be at large in the Dis-After considering the petitions Justice Anderson signed orders appointing physiclans to examine the alleged lunatics. The physicians are directed to appear in court

Friday next at 1 o'clock and testify as to the result of the examinations. The hearings will take place in the room of Criminal Court No. 2.

Case Sent to Grand Jury. William Robinson and Frederick Johnson.

both colored, were held under bonds of \$500 each by Judge Scott in the Police Court today to await a hearing by the grand jury for having assaulted Arthur Bell, also colored, with a dangerous Bell told the court that he met the men

near the corner of 9th and E streets southwest Saturday night. As a result of some differences Bell was stabbed with a knife several times, and he claims that Robin-son and Johnson were responsible for his injuries.

The defendants were not allowed to explain, as the case will be fully investigated

by the grand jury.

Approves the Bill.

The District Commissioners have received from Mr. Andrew B. Duvall, the city sclicitor, an opinion on Senate bill No. 2966, "For the relief of George W. King." The object of the bill is to relieve parts of certain lots in Georgetown from the operation of the act of Congress entitled "An act to of bread and milk had been missed from restrict the ownership of real estate in the territories to American citizens," approved March 3, 1887, commonly known as the alien law. Mr. Duvall states that the property was purchased in 1890 by one Patrick Mahon, then an alien. George W. King, the applicant for relief, it appears, now owns the property, having acquired it by means of conveyance from Mr. Mahon. Mr. Duvall says that there is no apparent reason why the bill should not receive the recommendation of the Commissioners.

Boy Fined Seven Dollars. Walter Leonard, a sixteen-year-old white boy, was in the juvenile court yesterday afternoon on two charges-riding a blcycle at

street northwest Saturday last. When the boy was stopped the officer said, there was no bell attached to the wheel.

Leonard explained that he borrowed the wheel to go on an errand, but had no intentional tributing any low tion of violating any law. A fine of \$7 which the court imposed was paid.

His Feet Were Frostbitten. A young colored man, named William Ruffin, was brought here this morning on the steamer Wakefield from the lower Potomac and was removed to the Emergency Hospital for treatment. His feet were frostbitten while he was working on an oyster dredge for Capt. Fowler. Ruffin is from Petersburg, Va. He said he shipped on the oyster boat at Baltimore ten days ago. He had no complaint to make of the treatment he received down the river. When he was in such condition that he was unable to work, he said, he was put ashore at a place where he could get aboard the

Attempt at Suicide. A colored girl named Edmonia Barnes

whose age was given as sixteen years, swallowed a quantity of carbolic yesterday with suicidal intent. The girl drank the poison while she was at her place of employment, the Turkish bath rooms of Mrs. Buckley, 1122 Connecticut avenue northwest. She quickly became unconscious, and the ambulance was summoned and conveyed her to the Emergency Hospital. She is still alive and there is good reason to believe that she will recover. to state that his popularity at home and tal. She is still alive and there is a abroad is second to that of no other musi-

cian. His triumphal tour through Great NEW ASSOCIATION FORMED

THE BUSINESS MEN OF SOUTH WASH-INGTON ORGANIZE.

Officers Elected and Committee Appointed to Draft Constitution and By-Laws.

The business men of South Washington met last night at the Grace Episcopal Church, 9th and D streets southwest, and organized the South Washington Improvement Association. The new organization is similar to the citizens' associations of other sections of the city.

Rev. Charles Sontag, rector of Grace Church, called the meeting to order and stated the object of the association and what it hoped to accomplish.

A large number of catizens responded to the call which had been issued for the meeting. It was suggested that the name of Southwest Citizens' Association be adopted, but as there was an organization known by that name several years ago, and it could not be ascertained whether or not it was still in existence. it was finally decided to select the name mentioned in the foregoing. Officers were chosen, the election resulting as follows: James F. Scaggs, president; George E. Barber, vice presilent, F. B. Gilmore, secretary; Thomas B Stephenson, treasurer.
After assuming the chair, Mr. Scaggs

spoke of the need of improvements in the southwest section of the city and said he would do all he could to secure much needed appropriations. A committee, consisting of the officers,

was appointed to prepare a constitution and a set of by-laws to be presented at the next meeting.

Concrete Instead of Cobble. Mr. Scaggs, in the course of a short talk, said it would be desirable to have concrete take the place of the cobble stones on

some of the streets. "Why, in the northwest section of the city," he said, "miles of streets on which there are no houses are concreted, and why can't we have the same here, where about eight-tenths of the people own their homes?

room of his church at the disposal of the association. The meeting adjourned to meet at the same place next Tuesday night, when work will be started in earnest. The following citizens were present last evening: Wm. H. Barker, Dr. White, Wm. A. H. Church, F. E. Dayis, W. W. Cole, Thos. B. Stephenson, James F. Scaggs Geo. E. Barker, F. B. Gilmore, Carl Schur-Wm. Worrell, C. W. Church, C. H. Martin, E. A. Ansley, H. Kraft, A. M. Cole, W. H.

The Rev. Mr. Sontag placed the lecture

NAVY YARD LEAVES.

Difference of Wish in Regard to Their Extension.

Goldsmith and Dr. A. B. Cobey.

The Washington navy yard employes are divided on the question of annual leave. Last year they obtained fifteen days' annual leave, and there is a bill now pending in both houses of Congress which gives them fifteen days additional. It is over this last proposition that the disagreement is caused, some favoring, others opposing extension. The members of the International Asso-

ciation of Machinists have agreed to resolutions stating that they oppose any additional annual leave.

Various reasons are given for this action. The men say that they do not wish to interfere with the eight-hour bill. A delegation, however, has communicated with the House committee on naval affairs and explained that they do not want the additional leave for the reason that they fear it will interfere with their permanent ployment. They called attention to the fact that private contractors are bidding for

There has also been a delegation of men who do not agree with this view at the Capitol to urge the passage of the bill. This delegation claims that the members of the a majority of the employes that will be affected. They also have adopted resolu-tions which state that as the International Association of Machinists has disapproved of a bill before the House and Senate to grant fifteen additional days' leave of absence to navy yard and arsenal employes. and as such association only represents about one-third of the working force of the Washington navy yard, the remaining two thirds being a majority, protest against their action as unfair to them. They also request the passage of said bill.

No action has as yet been taken by the committees in charge of these bills.

Bank Directors Organize. The newly elected board of directors of

the Washington Savings Bank met yesterday and organized by electing L. M. Saunders, president; O. G. Staples, T. H. Anderson, J. Louis Loose and Henry F. Woodard, vice president; Charles H. Davidge, treasurer and cashier, and J. F. B. Golding. assistant cashier.

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The directors chosen at the previous meeting of the stockholders were L. M. Saunders, O. G. Staples, T. H. Anderson, C. W. Ridley, C. H. Davidge, R. S. Lacey, Samuel Knox, R. E. Doan, P. B. Chase, J. Louis Loose, F. Mertens, H. F. Woodard, Nathaniel McKay, R. H. Graham, R. J. Tracewell, Samuel Ross, H. H. Darneille, Thomas E. Wargaman and Thos. H. Hall E. Waggaman and Thos. H. Hall.

Committed to Reform School. Daniel Johnson, colored, sixteen years old, who was paroled from the reform school in December, was returned there today by Judge Kimball. Daniel had been brought into court on a vagrancy charge, and a policeman told the judge that a lot doorways in the neighborhood of Pryor's court. He also stated that Daniel had been seen with bread and milk several times lately. George Lightfoot, colored, seventeer

years old, was also sent to the reform school by Judge Kimball. Moses Light-foot, uncle of the boy, informed the court that the boy had been going in bad com-pany and kept late hours. Photograph of Moritz Affelder. Capt. Boardman received a photograph

this morning of Moritz Affelder, the young man who is alleged to have forged the name of Senator Beveridge to three checks which were passed in this city. The phoa greater rate of speed than twelve miles tograph came from Philip Deitsch, chief of an hour and not having a bell attached to the machine.

A policeman told Judge Kimball that the young man exceeded the speed limit on I police of Cincinnati, where the young man is under a charge of forgery. When arrested in the Ohlo city Affelder gave his name as Cornelius Von Hoffey, and said his home was in New York.

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PLANS FOR IMPROVEMENT.

Bowling Alley and Club House Extension Proposed. The plans for the erection of a bowling alley in connection with the Takoma Club and Library have been approved by the committee in charge of the work and the officers and board of directors of the club and the contracts signed. The extension of the club house on Oak avenue was commenced this morning by the owner of the building, who is one of the board of directors of the club. The new feature of the club is expected to cost about \$650, the ex-

tension to the club house \$1,000.

The committee in charge of the erection of the bowling alley is composed of Messrs. Dr. A. V. Parsons, chairman; William E. Dyre, Dr. W. C. Palmer, Cassell Severence and Lawrence Wilson, jr. According to the plans the club house will be extended fifty feet beyond the present building. The entire length of the building will be sixtysive feet, with a width of sixteen feet, con-structed of brick. The entrances will be from the double parlors and from the shuffle board room.

Mr. J. Vance Lewis of Maple avenue will leave in a few days for Yuma, Ariz., where he will be joined by his sons, Charles and William, already in the west.

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Miss Mertie L. Follmer of Carroll avenue left yesterday for an extended trip to Norfolk, Va. She will return after a short visit in New York city.

The residence of the Misses Bitzer on Oak avenue was the scene recently of a social meeting, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Takoma Presbyterian Church. The program of the evening had old-time features, with ancient costumes and songs. Among those who took part in and songs. Among those who took part in the evening's entertainment were: Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blodgett, Miss Mildred P. Dyre, Miss Mary Campbell, Mrs. J. K. Depue, Mr. Harry Campbell, Mr. Norman Jackson and Mr. Byron Blodgett, accompanist. At the conclusion of the program refreshments were

Mr. Cassell Severence of Carroll avenue has returned from Yuma, Ariz. Postmaster Enoch Maris of Carroll avenue has returned from Indianapolis, Ind., where he had been summoned recently on ount of the serious illness of his father.

The "Charity Boy." To the Editor of The Evening Star:

In your stirring reply to Senator Dubois'

cheap sneer at the West Pointer as a

"charity boy," you say of the congressman who appointed General Ulysses S. Grant to the United States Military Academy that the "representative's name is unknown to the general public, and survives only in the memories of the 'charity boy' who never forgot a friend." This is true, but the name of Thomas L. Hamer was known and honored for its own sake in his day. A native of Pennsylvania, he went to Ohio at an early age, taught school, read law, was admitted to the bar, and became one of the leading lawyers of his adopted state. After serving several terms in the state legislature, during one of which he was speaker, he served three terms in Congress, from 1833 to 1839, during which time he appointed Grant a "charity boy" at West Point. Hamer was an ardent democrat. When the Mexican war broke out he enlisted as a private, but was appointed a brigadier general of volunteers immediately. He was ergaged at Monterey and after General William O. Butler of Kentucky was disabled by a wound commanded his division. He died at Monterey on December 2, 1846. Congress, in recognition of his gailantry presented a sword to his nearest male relative. General Hamer stood so high as a democratic leader that, had he lived, he would have been in all probability the nom-inee of his party for President in 1848 or

Senator Dubois' cheap sneer appears all the cheaper because it was made in reference to a gallant soldier and gentleman who has reached his present high rank y'thout having received in his youth the advantage of a West Point education. Born in Michigan, General Lloyd Wheaton enter ed the volunteer service as an enlisted man in April, 1861, and served through the civil war, reaching the rank of lieutenant colonel and brevet colonel. He was com-

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